MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON ETHICS AND PUBLIC TRUST

IN RE:

ROBERT K. PARSON



## **SETTLEMENT ORDER**

Pursuant to section 5.13 of the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics and Public Trust Rules of Procedure, Petitioner and Respondent do hereby enter into this settlement in full satisfaction of the above captioned matter based upon the following terms and conditions:

- 1. In **Count I** of Ethics Complaint C06**49**Respondent, ROBERT K. PARSON is charged with violating section 2-11.1 (g) of the Miami-Dade County Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance entitled Exploitation of official position.
- 2. Respondent believes it to be in his best interest and the best interest of all the parties involved to avoid the expense and time of litigating this matter and desires to resolve the differences between Respondent and Petitioner. Accordingly, Respondent agrees not to contest the allegation contained in Count I of Ethics complaint number C06-50
- 3. Pursuant to this agreement, Respondent agrees to accept a Letter of Instruction and pay a fine of \$250.00 to the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics and Public Trust in full satisfaction of this complaint.
- 4. Respondent understands and agrees that failure by respondent to pay all monies due, as outlined in paragraph 3 above, may result in garnishment or other appropriate processes or proceedings to enforce the recovery of a judgment as governed by the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure.

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**5**. Failure by respondent to fulfill and abide by his obligation under this Agreed Settlement Order may also result in contempt proceedings against respondent.

6. This agreement, consisting of three (3) pages, embodies the entire agreement of the parties respecting the subject matter herein. There are no promises, terms, conditions or obligations other than those contained herein. This instrument supercedes any and all previous communications, representations or agreements,

either verbal or written between the parties.

to execute this agreement.

Kerry E. Rosentha

Chairperson

7. By signing this agreement, Respondent acknowledges that he is doing so freely, voluntarily and without duress; that he is competent to enter this agreement; that he has fully and completely read and understood the terms and conditions of the agreement and has either had the opportunity to discuss these terms with legal counsel or has freely and voluntarily chosen to proceed without legal representation and that if anyone is signing this agreement on Respondent's behalf or in a representative capacity, that they are duly authorized and have full authority

**8.** Petitioner and Respondent agree that settlement of this action in the manner described above is just and in the best interests of Respondent and the citizens of Miami-Dade County.

**9.** If the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics and Public Trust should reject this agreement, evidence of this offer of compromise and settlement is inadmissible to prove any of the allegations alleged.

Done and Ordered at Miami-Dade County, Florida this

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Michael P. Murawski

Advocate Respondent

Robert K. Parson